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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

Broadband needs competition. I'm a retired senior on a fixed income and, as the history of capitalism has shown, competition forces providers to keep prices low. I could not afford almost \$100 a month for channels I did not watch so alternative providers with fewer channels but at a lower price I could afford allows me to have television. Don't take that away. Play fair. Monopolys kill. Please call. 510 769 1143.

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